

News comes every day of wholesale killing between the families that live in the mountains of West Virginia and Kentucky. These feuds seem to be interminable except that this family or that is wiped out. They have descended from sire to son for two or three generations and threaten to go on indefinitely. Yet two are a brave and hospitable set of men. They will share what little they possess with any neighbor in distress; they are courteous and kind to strangers who pass through their country; they have the elements within them that would develop into a brave, noble race of men and women under changed conditions. In their rude minds they cherish ideas of honor which they would rather die than violate. Some of these are very noble, but some others are as barbarous as ever. The thought of a tameless Bedouin with intent to murder. Many reasons are offered to account for the eccentricities of these people. But the chief reason can be found in the soil beneath their feet. It is poor and thin, so poor and thin that so long as people seek to make a livelihood from it they will necessarily be poor. With predestined poverty, ignorance must always prevail, and when for two or three generations men and women are kept poor and ignorant, their ambition becomes cowed or depraved; they cease to aspire to be anything more than poor and rude mountaineers, and they begin to take on, more or less, the traits of wild animals. Their highest accomplishment is their skill with a rifle and knife, their supreme pride is to wreak a bloody revenge for any real or fancied grievance. They can not raise enough from their poor farms to supply them with the common necessities of life and to educate their children. Hence, unless through the discovery of coal and iron or some other useful minerals, and the establishment of manufactures among them, we see no hope for any improvement; their children will continue to be half wild and fierce even as their sires are now. This is the effect of trying to live upon a soil too barren to supply the needs of men.

The German merchant fleet on January 1, 1888, as officially reported, comprised 4,135 vessels of over 50 tons burthen, having a carrying capacity of 1,284,455 tons. The number in 1881 was 4,650 vessels of more than 50 tons, having 2,182,445 tons tonnage measurement. The decrease was in the number of sailing vessels, of which there were 775 fewer in 1888 than in 1881, with 104,000 tons tonnage. The number of steamers had increased from 1881 to 1888 by 250, with 204,000 tons capacity. The steamer can do three times the work of a sailer. At the beginning of 1888 the German merchant marine was 31 per cent. stronger than five years previous. The total number of vessels that entered German ports in 1888 was 121,358, with a carrying capacity of 20,399,694 tons, as against 102,642 vessels in 1881, with a carrying capacity of 15,410,019 tons. The number of voyages made had risen from 57,233 to 67,925.

Not only does the participation of Democratic office-holders in political conventions go unrebutted, but the President himself does not scruple to use his official influence to aid the Democratic candidate for a local office in New York city. With this example before them, what can be expected of his subordinates? Mr. Hale's prediction that ever office-holder and Government contractor will be leveled upon to help elect the Democratic National ticket in the coming election is fully warranted. The civil-service law has become a nullity and civil-service reform a sham and pretense. This the record proves, and few Democrats will take the trouble to deny it. Only a few of the Mugwump variety try to keep up the farce, but the President's refusal to play a part any longer makes their efforts exceedingly lame.

BILL NYE, who has run several newspapers, speaks from the card when he says that the number of opportunities that a paper has for jumping on a great wrong with both feet, while the gentleman who furnishes the information conceals himself in a cyclone cellar that opens with a time lock, is simply appalling.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

(FROM DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.)

SARAH ALTHEA WINS.

The Supreme Court sustains Sullivan's Decision.
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—The Supreme Court has just affirmed Judge Sullivan's decision in the Sharon case. The court, however, has decided to reverse the order granting counsel fees. Judge McKinstry wrote the decision of the court.

This decision is on the judgment roll of the case, and goes to the point that, if the facts found by Judge Sullivan are correct, his opinion was correct. It does not deny a new trial on the facts nor confirm the case. The chief point is that it is not necessary in a contract marriage to have the assumption of consensual relations public.

The decision, which is written by Judge McKinstry and concurred in by Judges Searle, Temple and Patterson, is as follows:
The court affirms the judgment approved from (entered on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1885). The judgment of the court is affirmed from (made and entered on the 16th day of February, 1885), directing the payment of alimony to the plaintiff and the payment of counsel fees, is modified by striking out therefrom the words "the sum of twenty five hundred dollars on or before the eighth day of April, 1885." And the judgment or order appealed from (so as aforesaid made and entered on the 16th day of February, 1885), is further modified by striking out therefrom the portion thereof which reads: "It is further ordered that the defendant pay as counsel fees herein, on or before the 9th day of March, 1885, the sum of fifty-five thousand dollars, that is to say, \$20,000 to Messrs. Tyler & Trier, or order; \$10,000 to George Flournoy, or order; \$10,000 to Walter Levy, or order; \$10,000 to David S. Terry, or order; and \$5,000 to R. P. Clement, or order; and in case any of such payments are not made on or before the time herein fixed, then the party or parties entitled thereto shall have execution, therefore, pursuant to section 1007 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California." And the portion of said order of February 16th, 1885, so as aforesaid, providing for the payment of counsel fees, is hereby reversed.

A Frankel in Petticoats.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Julie Frankel, wife of L. B. Frankel, the well-known Virginia (Nev.) stock broker, whose failure in December, 1886, spread such consternation throughout the ranks of stock dealers, was decreed a sole trader by Judge Reardon yesterday. In her application she stated that she proposed to engage in the stock broker business in this city, and that none of the money used in the business is to come directly or indirectly from her husband, and that her application was not made with any view to defraud, delay or hinder any creditor of her husband, but was made in good faith. Her husband, she claims, by reason of reverses, is unable to provide for herself and children.

April 30th Instead of March 4th.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The Senate today passed the joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution providing that the term of President and Fifth Congress shall continue until the 30th day of April, 1889, at which time Senators whose existing terms would otherwise expire on the 4th of March, 1889 (and thereafter), shall continue in office until April 30th succeeding such expiration, and that the 30th of April at noon shall thereafter be substituted for the 4th of March as the commencement and termination of the official term of President, Vice President, Senators and Representatives in Congress.

He Boasted of His Crime.

James R. Hancock, who has been at Prosser Creek for some time, went aboard the west-bound passenger train at Truckee Sunday evening, and personating the conductor, called out "Tickets!" in the smoking-car. An unsuspecting Chinaman handed out his ticket, when he took it and immediately left the car, entered a saloon there boasting of his success and showing the ticket, when officer Chapman arrested him and placed him in jail.

Experimental Agricultural Stations.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—In the Senate the House bill making an appropriation to carry into effect the law establishing experimental stations at agricultural colleges was reported from the Committee on Appropriations and passed, with an amendment appropriating money from the Treasury direct instead of devoting the proceeds of the sale of public lands for that purpose.

A Fire in Buffalo.

BUFFALO, Feb. 1.—The large dry goods establishment of Barnes, Henderson & Co. is now on fire, with indications of its being a total loss. It is reported that a number of lives have been lost in the fire, but nothing definite can be learned as yet.

A Noted Actor Dead.

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 1.—William Farland, one of the oldest actors in the country, was found dead in bed yesterday. Mr. Farland supported himself when in this country, and later the elder Booth, Edwin Forrest and all the old-limers.

Out of Jail.

DUBLIN, Feb. 1.—Ex-Lord Mayor Sullivan, of Dublin, was released from Tullamore prison to-day, after ten months' confinement. A large crowd was gathered in front of the building and greeted Sullivan with great enthusiasm.

Idaho Cattle Dying.

According to the Bellevue (Idaho) Herald, the cattle of that Territory are in a bad way. It says: "What is now going on in the stock herds of Idaho is something unheard of before in this Territory. News comes that on what were once the best winter ranges the stock are now dying in herds and fast starving to death. Thousands of cattle are offered for \$5 per head, and what will result? Stockmen hereabouts say they cannot get their cattle herds to feed, only five miles distance, because of the snow and the animals' weakness."

BREVITIES.

Local and General Intelligence.

See fifty cent column for house for sale.
White Pine county has 331 school children.
Scarlet fever is still prevalent at Paradise.

Col. Bob Lindsay is at Winnemucca on professional business.

Rev. Mr. Chubbuck is laboring with the ungodly of San Francisco. A mail route from Winnemucca to Drewary, Oregon, has been petitioned for.

The ladies' leap year party at Virginia City Monday evening was a great success.

Judge Sabin, of the United States District Court, will open court in Carson on the 12th inst.

J. H. Durney, a veteran of the civil war, and a resident of Truckee, has been granted a pension.

Two Chinamen have been indicted by the Grand Jury of Humboldt county for opium smoking.

Reno butchers do a wholesale meat trade along the line of the railroad as far east as Winnemucca.

J. P. Anderson, a stockman, is on trial at Winnemucca for branding and appropriating cattle not his own.

James Linegar has been convicted for petit larceny at Winnemucca, and been fined \$300 for his crime.

Two cowboys attempted to run the town of Buffalo Gap, Dakota, January 30th, and were buried yesterday.

Owing to the high rates demanded by the insurance pool, the people of San Diego are threatening to organize a local company.

An exchange says: "An experienced girl advertises for a situation in another column." What column is she employed in now?

It is expected the County Commissioners will take final action at their next meeting on the ordinances recently prepared by the District Attorney.

Two hundred and thirty-six head of two-year-old steers, belonging to Patterson & Clark, the Modoc county, Cal., stockmen, will arrive here this evening.

The mines of Peavine are showing up favorably, and those in a position to know assert that they will some day astonish the mining world with their bullion output.

The present mild weather will insure a good grass crop and will prove the salvation of many stockmen who, but a few days ago were almost on the verge of financial ruin.

In southern Humboldt the cold snap killed a great many old cows. P. Sweeney, of Pleasant Valley, recently counted forty-five dead ones while traveling a distance of five miles.

Seventeen thousand rabbits have been killed in the recent rabbit drives in Kern county, about seven thousand of them last Sunday, and the events will be continued weekly or oftener.

The gross earnings of the Southern Pacific railroad company from January 1st to November 30th, inclusive, in 1887 were \$33,818,110. The net earnings for the same are estimated at \$13,805,600.

Cattle in the vicinity of Sheephead, this county, are reported in splendid condition, and the ranges are already assuming their Spring dress. The grass, although weak, is about half an inch high, and a spell of warm weather is all that is needed to bring it out luxuriantly.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

—Representative Townsend has prepared a bill which places salt on the free list.

—Dempsey defeated McCaffrey in a ten-round contest at Jersey City last night.

—The second trial of R. F. Morrow, charged with embezzlement, commenced at Santa Rosa, Cal., yesterday.

—Professor Asa Gray, Professor of Botany at Harvard College, Massachusetts, is dead, aged 77.

—General John L. Thompson, President of the Union League Club of Chicago, died yesterday from effects of a rupture of a blood vessel at the base of the brain.

—The Woman Suffrage movement received a set back in the Supreme Court of Wisconsin, which denied that it was the intention of the Legislature to grant such suffrage as the men enjoyed.

—The majority of the House Post-office and Postroads Committee report a bill compelling subsidized Pacific railroads to open to telegraph lines without the aid of outside corporations. This is introduced as a blow at the Western Union.

NEW TO-DAY.

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Heavy Scarlet Undershirts and Drawers, \$1 each.
Heavy Blue Flannel Undershirts and Drawers, 95 cts. each.
Fancy All Wool Overshirts, \$1.25 each.

These Overshirts are sold all over town for \$2.
Heavy Canton Flannel Undershirts and Drawers, 45 cts. each.
Heavy Cheviot Undershirts, 50 cts. each.
Heavy Molekin Undershirts, from 50 to 75 cts. each.
10 oz. Blue Overalls, 65 cts. each.
Blanket-lined Overalls, \$1.10 each.

Heavy Buck Gloves, \$1 per pair.
Best Quality Diamond Toe Shaker Socks, 10 cts. per pair.
White Cotton Socks, 4 cts. per pair.
Boys' Knee Pants, 44 cts. per pair.
White Knit Undershirts and Drawers, 45 cts. each.

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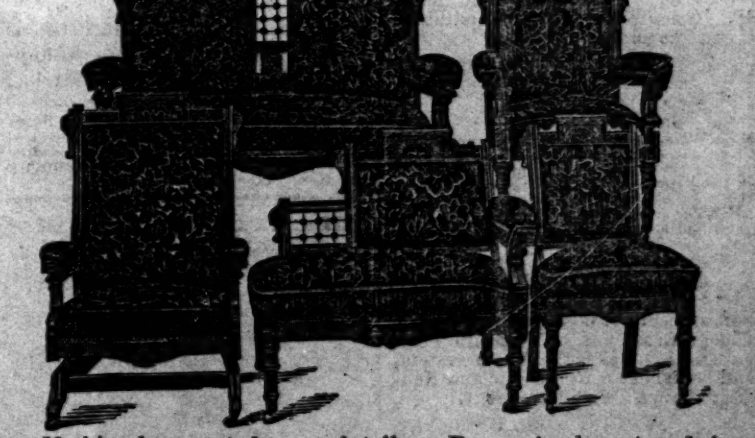
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1850 Ophir, 9 1/2, 10, 10 1/2	1000 Mexican, 5 1/2, 5 1/2
900 Gould & Curry, 5 1/2, 5 1/2	1100 Best & Belcher, 6 1/2, 6 1/2
475 Con Ya, 10 1/2, 10 1/2, 10 1/2	200 Savage, 9 1/2, 9 1/2
150 Chollar, 6 1/2, 6 1/2	550 Potomac, 8
270 Hale & Norcross, 9 1/2, 9 1/2	600 Point, 7 1/2, 7 1/2
600 Jackson, 5 1/2, 5 1/2	550 Alpha, 1 1/2
440 Belcher, 7 1/2, 7 1/2, 7 1/2	900 S Nevada, 6 1/2, 6 1/2
100 Imperial, 3 1/2, 3 1/2	700 Bullion, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
300 Exchequer, 1 3/4, 1 3/4	120 Confidence, 2 1/2, 2 1/2, 2 1/2
1050 Seg Belcher, 3 1/2, 3 1/2, 3 1/2	550 Overman, 1
1450 Utah, 2 1/2, 2 1/2	50 Justice, 1 1/2
2800 Union, 5 1/2, 5 1/2, 5 1/2	300 Alta, 2 1/2, 2 1/2
100 S Hill, 4 1/2	500 Challenge, 5
200 Andes, 1 1/2, 1 1/2	700 Superior, 95, 95
100 L Washington, 400	200 Baltimore, 95
500 Comstock, 400	200 Hendricks, 85
300 Keyes, 3 1/2, 3 1/2	200 Eureka, 11
2100 G Prize, 2 1/2, 2 1/2	250 Navajo, 1 1/2, 1 1/2
200 B Isle, 800	450 N B Isle, 7 1/2, 7 1/2
350 Queen, 3 1/2	100 Argenta, 250
170 Bodie, 2 1/2	200 Bulwer, 95
100 Mono, 1 1/2, 1 1/2	500 Crocker, 800
400 Peerless, 1 1/2	100 Weldon, 450

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

DEPOT HOTEL—Leslie Wright, Carson; Moritz Meyer, Reno; F A Kelton, H F Harwood, T H Cory, J D Magner, Ogden; W A Proder, San Francisco; M D Haynes, 300 D Winters, and wife, Washoe; R Martin, Summit; J House and wife, New York; M H Sunderland, San Francisco; William Parry, Eureka; B D Gardner, Montana; L L Gardner, Indiana; J Hemmingsway, Chicago; D W Keller, San Francisco; Mrs Brown, Carson; F L Chanvan and wife, San Francisco; T F Merchant, M Towner, J H Batcher and wife, C Jones and wife, San Francisco; Chas Carthew, Sacramento; S E Cory, Chicago; J J Allenback, F A Kelton, Ogden; Jos Goulden, Summit.

BOYS.

KILDAY—In Carson, Jan. 25, to the wife of E. Kilday, a daughter.

BRADLEY—In San Francisco, Jan. 25, to the wife of J. D. Bradley, a daughter.

MARRIED.

FLETCHER—McKNIGHT—At the residence of A. C. Cleveland, in Spring Valley, Jan. 19, by Justice Hendrie, W. C. Fletcher and Miss Emma McKnight.

TRONDALE—SPENCER—In Seattle, W. T., Jan. 28, C. H. Trondale, of Winnemucca, and Miss Nellie Spencer.

DIED.

McCOY—In Eureka, Jan. 23, Wm. C. McCoy, aged 55 years.

TOGNONI—At Duckwater, Nye County, Nev., Jan. 26, Giovanni Antonio Tognoni, aged 35 years.

JOTTINGS.

Fine carriages, side bar or end spring, at J. T. Longabaugh's, Reno, Nevada.

Matured Thistle Dew whisky for medicinal purposes in quantities to suit at W. P. Wulger's drugstore.

J. F. Aitken will saw your wood with his steam machine, or deliver wood already cut any length desired.

Good food, clean beds and a hospitable landlady command the Arlington house, Carson, to the traveling public.

Wallace & Beebe, corner of the Plaza and Virginia street, have received a choice lot of fresh groceries that are sold at very low prices.

Drop into J. J. Becker's and partake of his excellent hot lunches every day at noon. The finest brands of beer kept on draught.

For lead pencils, slates, writing paper, novels, toys, and bird cages, go to C. J. F. and place and organs on the installment plan.

If you want a pure article of ground or roasted coffee, call on Coffin & Larcombe. Try a sack of their self-raising tuckwheat flour.

Call on Richard Herz and examine his stock of holiday jewelry. His articles are carefully selected and will suit the purse and fancy of all customers.

Abraham Ross, believe in quick sales and small profits, and is prepared to furnish the public with the best and latest styles of gents' clothing and furnishing goods.

Havocor carries only choice groceries, and his prices are the lowest. He brings his goods direct from the largest wholesale houses in San Francisco and the East.

C. A. Thurston keeps a full assortment of purses, ladies' handkerchiefs, fine cutlery, all kinds of blank books, letter pads, envelopes, and all the leading journals, periodicals, etc.

Go to E. C. Leadbetter for dried fruits, dried peeled peaches, peaches unpeeled, pitted plums, prunes, blackberries, all kinds of canned goods of this season's crop; fresh stock of candies and nuts.

"Passion's Slave."

The Los Angeles Herald says of the Nellie Boyd troupe, which will appear at the theater here on the 6th inst: The Nellie Boyd Dramatic Company opened at this resort last night to a tremendous house, which crowded auditorium and gallery to repletion. The artists of this troupe are confirmed Los Angeles favorites, and they proved by their performance that they deserved their cordial reception. The play underscored was the sparkling melodrama, "Passion's Slave," and all its possibilities were very fully developed.

VALE, HENDERSON.

A Proceeding of a Star Chamber Nature.

Yesterday it was rumored about town that the authorities had come to the conclusion that it would be impossible to convict Henry Henderson, the negro expressman charged with rape, and rather than subject the county to the expense of a second trial, it had been decided to allow him to go on his own recognizance. A GAZETTE reporter asked Judge King, Henderson's attorney, if such was the case, and was given to understand that proceedings looking to that end would probably be had, but requested that nothing be published concerning it. An attorney of the Sheriff's office, as well as County Clerk Julien, were subsequently interviewed, but nothing whatever could be learned from them, both professing the profoundest ignorance of the rumor. However, the events of the evening proved that the rumor was founded on fact, for as soon as the shades of night had fallen, the massive iron door of the jail was opened, and Henderson stepped out a free man. A wagon and team were conveniently located near the courthouse and Henderson was quickly driven away by the party having him in charge, which is said to have consisted of a member of the Board of County Commissioners, the Sheriff and a Deputy sheriff.

Henderson was driven to the coal bin near Verdi, where the overland trains receive coal, and told by the officials to right-about-face in the direction of the setting sun, and to keep himself moving until he had left the virgin soil of Nevada behind him forever.

They then left him, according to one statement, but another is that they placed him on the west-bound train and remained there until the train had resumed its journey westward.

HOW IT WAS DONE.

To-day a GAZETTE reporter learned that yesterday morning the officials interested in the case met in the District Court, when the whole matter was discussed, and the following program was decided upon and faithfully carried out: District Attorney Evans, addressing Judge Bigelow, reviewed the alleged criminal assault, and stated that while he was always convinced that conviction was almost impossible he had resolved to prosecute the case for the purpose of showing to evil-doers that the law could not be transgressed with impunity, and that all infractions of the law would be prosecuted vigorously in Washoe county. The result of the trial has proved the truth of his convictions, and as the jury disagreed he was unwilling to put the county to the expense of another trial. He accordingly moved that Henderson be allowed to go on his own recognizance. The Court took the same view of the case, and directed that the order be made.

The action of the county officials in taking upon themselves the task of virtually aiding Henderson to escape, is explained on the ground that had not secrecy been observed in the proceedings, a mob would have apprehended Henderson and accomplished that which the law was powerless to do. But it is a noteworthy fact that simply by jury disagreed those who were loudest in the demand for mob justice have had nothing to say, while during the progress of the trial these same bloodthirsty individuals were loudly and publicly saying what should be done in the event of a failure of justice.

It is needless to say that Henderson will never again pollute Reno with his presence, and in view of all the circumstances of the case, it is well that the country is rid of him, although the proceedings resorted to to accomplish that end are not, strictly speaking, "according to Hoyle."

Jesse Harris' Importations.

A letter received from Jesse Harris, of Fort Collins, Colorado, announces the arrival of thirty-four head of imported horses from England. The lot comprises a twenty-one Cleveland Bay stallions, five Yorkshire coach, five Hackney and two English Shires. They stood the voyage very well indeed, and arrived in excellent condition notwithstanding the severity of the weather. Mr. Harris says this is the best lot he ever brought in and asks those desiring something choice to come and look them over. Jesse knows a good horse and would not be likely to get any other sort. Go and examine them.

War! War! War!

The dry goods war having been declared, I range myself in line of battle and send out the following articles as skirmishers. The figures of the main body are placed such that the enemy will easily be overcome and everybody is invited to share in the booty.

S. EMBRICH.

Of the Nevada Cash Store. Pearl and metal buttons, 5 cents per dozen; children's seamless hose, 10 cents per pair; children's fast color handkerchiefs, 40 cents per dozen; colored embroideries, 10 cents per three yards; everlasting laces, 10 cents per dozen; oriental and other trimming laces, 5 cents per yard; good corsets, 50 cents each; some ribbons, 2 yards, 5 cents; children's hoods, 25 cents each, and a hundred other articles.

Cattle Dying from Starvation.

There are nearly eighteen inches of snow on the ranges in the vicinity of Clover valley, Humboldt county, and cattle are dying of starvation. Frank Hammond, a resident of that valley, counted thirty dead animals in a bunch one day last week, but whether they died during the severe cold weather or subsequent to that time he could not state.

For lame back, side, or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 2 cents. For sale by Osburn & Shoemaker.

THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER, of Boston, Ind., says: "Both myself and my wife are cured from a chronic rheumatism cure." Sold by Osburn & Shoemaker.

WHO IS HABERSHOM?

An Alleged Resident of Reno Discovers on Nevada Cattle Interests.

"The recent cold weather in Nevada has played the mischief with the livestock interests," John Habershom, of Reno, said yesterday to an Examiner reporter. "You seem not to have heard of it down here, but it is a fact that losses have been very heavy. It has all grown out of the improvidence of a great many growers. They have been trying to tide their stock through without hay. On top of this the stock was in poor condition, because they have had too many on a given amount of land. This made the stock in poor flesh, and not prepared to go into a raw winter, like that we have had lately in Nevada."

"I believe the losses of cattle in a great many sections will be 40 per cent, and of sheep they will be greater, say not less than 50 per cent. Sheep can't do anything in the snow. If they don't find feed, when once they get weak, can't do much either at pawing in the snow. A steer is a good deal like a clock. He goes about so long, and then if the weather is still hard, he gives in. His vitality is gone, and since he hasn't the strength to dig in the snow for feed, and there is none provided for him, he speedily goes over the road."

"About the most sensible cattle rancher I know of is R. E. Key, over in the Humboldt valley. He is the exception. He put up this year, as he always does, a large amount of hay. The result is that when the storm came on he began to fork it out to his cattle, and they have come out as sleek as weasels. All the hay cost him, too, was 90 cents a ton in the stack. One would think everybody would have hay when it is so cheap, but history goes on repeating itself. They lose stock and still they don't guard against it the next winter."

Horses have got through the winter better. A horse has better traveling powers and is a better digger than a steer. If he doesn't find what he wants in one place, he moves on to a better. No matter if the snow is pretty deep, he finds an amount of either white sage or bunch grass to take him through."

"With the average mind there is a great deal of mystery about the nutritive powers of the native Nevada bunch grass. People generally don't understand why, barren as Nevada looks, there is anything to sustain stock, and they can't understand oftentimes why cattle come out looking as fat as butter. The reason of it is on account of the seed of the bunch grass. The seed is very heavy in the top of the grass, and it is full of oil, and this oil sustains life longer under more trying times than any other feed known. Up North, you know, in the far Arctic regions, where the people subsist by living on whale blubber, it is the grease that carries them through. Nothing else could do it. Just so with the livestock in Nevada. There is no tame feed produced that will keep stock up like this bunch grass, and next to it is the white sage."

"I hear cattlemen in the Humboldt valley particularly now saying that hereafter they will make a little bunch grass hay, anyway, so that if an extreme cold spell comes on, they can feed for a brief time, and thus save their stock."

First American Miners' Hospital.

Speaking of the hospitals, says Judge Goodwin in the Salt Lake Tribune, we presume that few people know that the first man in America to organize a miners' hospital, is now living in this city. When Captain E. B. Wilder of this city, was superintendent of the Ophir mine on the Comstock, one of the Ophir mill men had a thumb smashed in the machinery. A Virginia City surgeon amputated the thumb and charged \$75 for it. The Captain paid the bill, merely asking the surgeon if the amputation of a thumb cost \$75, what a leg would be. But he called the miners together, stated the case to them, and proposed that each should surrender a trifle of his month's wages for a hospital fund, to insure attendance and medical treatment in case of accident. The proposition was eagerly accepted by the miners. With that for a starter, the Captain went to work and never rested until he had a comfortable building secured, with proper attendants and a competent physician, and ever since the Comstock mine has been certain of good treatment if anything happened to him in the way of wounds or disease. On the same plan the railroad hospital was established in Sacramento, and such hospitals are general now where any first-class corporation employs great numbers of men. But the scheme was first started in this country by Captain Wilder.

An Indiscreet White Pine Rancher.

Miriam A. Liddle was granted a divorce in San Francisco last week from James A. Liddle, a White Pine county rancher. The testimony introduced during the trial showed that he was criminally intimate with a young woman, and that the latter gave birth to a child, which he recognized as his offspring. The community property involved in the suit amounted to about \$12,000.

Nevada Cattle the Best.

It is a good steer in New Mexico which will dress 600 pounds, while in Arizona a 500-pounder is considered a prize-winner. In Nevada it is nothing uncommon to send to the San Francisco markets 800-pound beauties.

That Great Sale.

F. Levy & Bro. are selling twenty pairs of shoes for one dollar. Twenty yards of crash for one dollar. Go and see how all their other goods are reduced in prices.

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MINING INTELLIGENCE.

The "Gazette's" Weekly Summary of Mining News.

Work will shortly be resumed in the Ida mine, Gardfield district.

The stamp mills on the Carson river are running to their full capacity.

Since 1873 the total product of Eureka district aggregates \$30,000,000.

The product of the Chollar and Potomac last month is estimated at \$30,000.

The Paradise Valley Mining Company has levied an assessment of ten cents a share.

Two hundred and thirty-five mines in Eureka district have yielded from \$1,000 to 15,000,000.

A plant for sinking the Como-Eureka shaft 200 feet deeper will be put up at Coy. next Spring.

The ore development in the Eureka mine so far as explored shows a length of 45 feet and a breadth of 20 feet.

The rich rock in the Pamlico mine, Nevada, was not confined to the crop-plugs. Oculist pockets are frequently found in lower workings.

Alaska is said to be a poor country for a man without money. Miners' wages are only \$2 per day, and labor in the rain and snow at that.

It is said that nearly all the borax mines of Inyo, San Bernardino and El Norado counties, Cal., have virtually ceased work because of the low price of borax.

The Pittsburg gold mines near Battle Mountain, Lander county, are said to have an area of ore so stippled which will admit of a monthly output of 5,000 tons.

The freezing of water caused a temporary shut down of the mill at Silver Peak, Nevada. The Shawmut Company is making regular ore shipments to Candalaria.

The German copper mine near Genoa, Douglas county, is being prospected. Assays taken from the ore in 1881 yielded 40 per cent. copper, \$15 in gold and \$2 silver per ton.

Assessments on Nevada mines aggregating \$339,300 fell due last month. The California assessments foot up \$85,000, of which \$25,000 is for Mono county, \$5,000 for Placer and \$5,000 for Nevada county.

All the mines in Silver City are shut down yet, except the Oost. Some little work is being done in this mine. The Haywood started up the first of the week, but the pump-out made the roads impassable and work ceased.

The old Graphite of Sierra county, Cal., a mile above the Plum Valley House, is to be reopened in the Spring by a strong company. Eight years ago the mine or less work was done on the claim, and a stamp-mill erected.

A new patent copper and carbon combination mode, by which, according to tests made, twenty-five to thirty per cent. of power is saved, has arrived and will be connected with the electric system in the Douglas mill at Dayton.

The Walker Lake Bulletin says the Candalaria mill is running continuously upon ore from the Georgina mine. In this mine a large body of ore has been developed in the west drift from the second shaft level. The lode is three feet wide and of good quality.

The following is the total yield of the mines named, all of which are in Eureka district: Eureka Consolidated Company, \$16,393,418 10; Richmond, \$15,379,766 41; Ruby and Dunderberg, \$1,785,019 11; Garrison, \$1,445,481 11; Jackson, \$522,948 37; Bertrand, \$697,939 40; Barker, \$321,812 19; Abilene Consolidated, \$244,821 10; Hamburg, \$258,074 05.

Alfalfa as Feed.

B. H. Reimers, of Mason Valley, comes to the defense of alfalfa in the Enterprise, as follows.

"I notice the papers are publishing an idiotic article against alfalfa as a feed. Let me tell you this, and it is the whole truth: Our 2-year-old cattle feed on alfalfa, and will weigh as much as 3-year-old cattle of any other section of the world fed upon any other grass, and our 3-year-old horses are just as good and as fully developed as other 4-year-old horses. That's what alfalfa does for us. But it has this drawback: If cattle are turned too soon in the Spring upon the young grass the first mouthfuls will bloat them, but if the grass is grown well there is no danger whatever. Pigs should not be fed upon alfalfa before they are six months old. After that they have a little grain with the alfalfa and run in the stubble fields their meat will be as firm as grain fed pork, and the butchers can make all the bloody worst they want with it. I have sold the Comstock butchers \$1,000 worth of hogs this Fall, and I am here arranging to sell them more, and also some beef cattle."

Going Like Hot Cakes.

The Chico (Cal.) Chronicle-Record publishes the following: This is the day of surprise. The boom is on. Preble & Young, the proprietors of the grand colony, are running a four-in-hand rig to Biggs to Rio Bonito to take visitors, who come by every train. They come as visitors, but soon become purchasers. Our enterprising townsman, J. Mandel, went down last Friday and was shown over the tract. The result was he purchased twenty acres, and contracted to have it all set out to apricots this season. This a good investment. There is no better land in all the county than the same Rio Bonito. A splendid map of the tract now adorns our office. We are intimately acquainted with the lands and recommended them in unmeasured terms.

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ACCIDENT OR SUICIDE?

The Dead Body of Antonio Gomez Found in the Truckee.

This afternoon the dead body of Antonio Gomez, a Portuguese, aged 27 years, was found lying in the river on the north side, and directly under the V. & T. trestle-bridge.

Up to about one month ago, Gomez resided at the French hotel, on Center street, and about that time he was seized with an epileptic fit. On coming to be left the hotel and proceeded toward the river, and was not seen again until the river gave up its dead. It has not been determined yet, and probably never will be, whether he committed suicide or was again seized with a fit while crossing the bridge, and being helpless, fell into the river and was drowned. He has a brother residing near Winnemucca, who has been communicated with.

An inquest will be held this afternoon, as the body is bloated beyond recognition and it is essential that the remains be buried as soon as possible.

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